THE MADRAS LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Friday, the 18th August 1961.

The House met in the Assembly Chamber, Fort St. George at half-past eight of the Clock, the Deputy Speaker (SRI B. BHAKTHAVATSALU NAIDU) in the Chair.

I. OBITUARY REFERENCES.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : I regret to inform this House the passing away of—

1. Sri K. Kulasekara Doss, on 16th May 1961. He was a prominent Congressman and former Member of the Madras Legislative Assembly elected from the Tindivinam General Rural (Scheduled Caste) Constituency.

2. Sri K. M. Seethi Sahib, on 17th April 1961. He was a former Member of the Madras Legislative Assembly from 1952–56 and Speaker of the Kerala Legislative Assembly. He was elected from the Mallapuram Muhammadan Rural Constituency.

3. Sri V. Gopala Gounder, on 21st July 1961. He was a former Member of the Madras Legislative Assembly and Chairman of the Tindivanam Municipal Council.

4. Sri N. Annamalai Pillai, on 1st June 1961. He was a sitting Member of the Madras Legislative Council and an old-time Congressman of Tiruvannamalai. He was a Member of the State Legislature for two terms since 1937. He was the Secretary of the Tamilnad Congress Committee. He had served the Tiruvannamalai Municipality as a Councillor.

I request all the Members to stand in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect.

Then the Members stood in silence for two minutes.

II. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

STARRED QUESTIONS.

Liquor Permits

*** 1222 *Q.*—SRI S. M. ANNAMALAI:** *கனம் உள்துறை அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—*

1960-ல் நம் மாநிலத்தில் ஹோட்டல்கள் போன்ற பொது இடங்களுக்கு எத்தனை மது விற்பனை லைசென்சுகள் வழங்கப்பட்டிருக்கின்றன ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : During the year 1960, six licences for sale of liquor were granted in our State to hotels run on western style and 28 licences were granted to non-proprietory clubs for supply to Members holding personal permits.